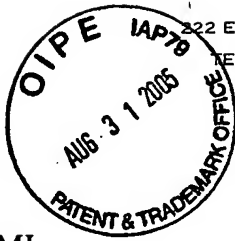


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By: Eric Aerts

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Applicant responds to the communication of July 22, 2005 (copy enclosed) in connection with the subject application.

Enclosed please find a copy of all documents filed on September 22, 2003 as you requested in your letter. We are still awaiting the filing receipt. Please note that we corrected errors in the assignment cover sheet in a filing made on May 19, 2004.

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Sincerely,

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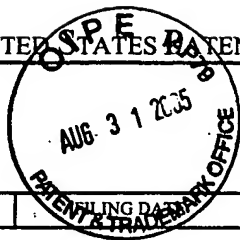
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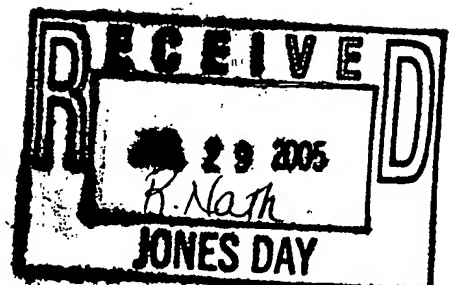
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